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LEWIS OF VIRGINIA

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Frances C. Griffin 1313 Butts Station Rd. Chesapeake, Va. 23320 Zachary (1) Lewis, of Brecon, or Brecknock, in Brecknockshire, Wales, was the first of his line known to have come to Virgin. Who he married is Among the many grants of land to the name of Lewis recorded in the Virginia Land Books there are only two to Zachary Lewis - one for 500 acres in King & Queen County, April 20, 1694, and 450 in King William County, Oct. 23, 1703. This corroborates the statement of Rev. Ivison Lewis that he was "the son of John Lewis, whose father, Zachary Lewis, came from Brecknock, Wales, to Virginia, 1692, at which time he settled in the county of King and Queen."

Beyond this nothing is known of this Zachary excepting that he was a member of the Church of England, and had two sons, Zachary and John.

- 1- Zachary (2) Lewis, born Jan. 1, 1702; died Jan. 20, 1765; married Jan. 9, (see later) 1725, Mary Waller.
- Children were ---2- John (2) Lewis.

A. William, M.D., of Urbanna, Va.. B. Rev. Ivison or Iverson, born May 4, 1741, at the family residence in King & Queen Co., where he lived and died. He died Jan. 5, 1815; he became a prominent Baptist minister. He established the Baptist Church in Matthews County, 1775 and in Gloucester County, 1790.

Zachary (2) Lewis (Zachary 1), of Spotsylvania County, Virginia, born Jan. 1, 1702; died Jan. 20, 1765; will dated July 7, 1764; pro. Spotsylvania County, Feb. 4, 1765. Married Jan. 9, 1725, Mary Waller, born Jan. 20, 1699, died March 23, 1781, daughter of Colonel John and Dorothy (King) Waller. Mr. Lewis was a lawyer. Children ---

1- Anne (3) born Aug. 30, 1726; died Aug. 8, 1748; married cir. 1756, Hon. George Wythe, LL.D. born Elizabeth City County, Virginia 1726; d.s.p. June 8, 1806; will dated April 20, 1803,

- 2- Mary, born Jan. 30, 1728.
  3- John, born Oct. 18. 1729; died Sept. 12, 1780. (see later)
  4- Zachary, born May 6, 1731; died July 21, 1803. (see later)
  5- Elizabeth born Oct. 9, 1732; died 1809; married 1st cir. 1760, Col. James Littlepage; married 2nd March 15, 1774, Major Lewis Holaday.

6- Mourning, born April 1, 1734; died April 12, 1734. 7- Lucy born Dec. 5, 1735; married --- Ford; went to South Carolina.

8- Dorothy, born Sept. 3, 1737; married Christopher Smith. 9- Waller, born Sept. 11, 1739; married Sarah Lewis.

10- Benjamin, born June 16, 1744; married Patsy Bickerton. (see later)

John (3) Lewis (Zachary 2; Zachary I) of Spotsylvania County, Va., born King & Queen county, Oct. 18, 1729; died Sept. 12, 1780; will dated 1760; married 1st Sarah Iverson; 2nd Mildred Lewis, daughter of Col. Robert and Jane (Meriwether) Lewis. In his will he names four sons as given here, his brothers Benjamin and Waller Lewis, his brother-in-law William, Charles and Nicholas Lewis.

Children (will)

- 1- John.
- 2- Zachary

3- Charles, died Lynchburg, Va., April 2, 1822; married Susan R. Waller.

4- Nicholas Hunter, born Jan. 9, 1765; married 1812, Ann Meriwether, daughter of Nicholas and Rebecca (Terrell) Meriwether, Louisa County.

5- Mary.

Colonel Zachary (3) Lewis (Zachary 2; Zachary 1) of Spotsylvania Co., born King & Queen county, May 6, 1731; died July 21, 1803; will dated Feb. 20, 1803; pro. Spotsykvania county, 1803. Married May 8, 1771, Ann Overton Terrell, born Sept. 3, 1748; died Nov. 30, 1820, daughter of Richmond Terrill, Louisa county, Va., and his wife Ann. daughter of William Overton of Virginia. Children ----

1- Anne Overton, born April 23, 1772; died Sept. 11, 1795; married July 28, 1795, James McClure Scott, M.D. He married 2nd, Mildred Thompson, daughter of Waddy Thompson and his wife, Jane Lewis, daughter of Col. Robert (4)

Lewis, "Belvoir," Albemarle County, Va.

2- Richmond, born March 14, 1774; died July 31, 1831. (see later)

3- Cadwallader, born Nov. 25, 1776; died d.s. Feb. 4, 1796.

4- Mary Waller, born April 10, 1779; married 1797, John Hill of Hillsboro, Va.

5- Huldah Fontaine, born Feb. 4, 1781; died Oct. 25, 1863; married Sept. 23,

1802, Waller Holladay.
6- John, born Feb. 25, 1784; died Aug. 27, 1758. (see later)
7- Eliza, born May 27, 1786; died Sept. 24, 1816; married Walter Raleigh

8- William, born Aug. 20, 1788; died same day.

9- Addison Murdoch, born Sept. 26, 1789; died Aug. 27, 1857. (see later)

Benjamin (3) Lewis (Zachary 2; Zachary 1) born King & Queen County, Va., June 16, 1744; married Martha (Patsy) Bickerton. Children ----

1- Benjamin (4) M.D.; d.s.p.

2- John, married Matilda Nelson--- children John; Matilda; Benjamin.

3- Alice married ---- Jewett.

4- Patsy Bickerton, married Snelson Smith.

5- Elizabeth, married George Greenhow.

Richmond (4) Lewis, M.D. (Zachary 3; Zachary 2; Zachary 1) born Spotsylvania county, March 14, 1774; died July 31, 1831; buried "Bel-Air"; married 1st, Oct. 28, 1802, Elizabeth Travers Daniel, born Oct. 18, 1778; died Jennings Gap, Augusta County, Aug. 8, 1827, daughter of Travers and Frances (Moncure) Daniel. Married 2nd, Sept. 3, 1830, Margaret B. Richardson, born April 15, 1813. d.s. n. Ska married 2nd Sept. 3 1813; d.s.p. She married 2nd Samuel Greenhow Daniel.

Dr. Lewis studied medicine under his kinsman, Dr. William Lewis, of Urbanna, son of John Lewis (3). He was Surgeon U.S.A. in the war of 1812.

Children ----

1- Ann Overton (5), born July 27, 1803; died Feb. 27, 1821. 2- Alfred, M.D. born March 8, 1805; d.s. July 17, 1827. 3- Jane Frances Moncure, born Sept. 10, 1807; d.s. Jan. 13, 1823. 4- Huldah, born March 18, 1812; died Oct. 5, 1836; married Jan. 5, 1832, John Thompson Scott.

5. Sarah Travers, born Nov. 7, 1813; married Dec. 3, 1832, James McClure Scott. 6. Zachary Travers, born Aug. 7, 1816; died Staunton, Va. Feb. 26, 1853. 7. Mary Waller, born Jan. 16, 1819; died Jan. 31, 1819.

John (4) Lewis (Zachary 3; Zachary 2; Zachary 1) of "Llangollen,"
Spotsylvania county, Va. and of Franklin county, Ky., born Spotsylvania Co. Feb. 25, 1784; died Franklin county, Ky., Aug. 15, 1858; married Nov. 21, 1808. Jean Wood Daniel, born 1786; died Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 3, 1853, age 67. Children ---

1- Frances Anne (5) born March 3, 1810; married May 31, 1836, William Mitchell. born April 25, 1808; died Aug. 4, 1866, son of James and Jean Mitcehll of Stafford County, Va.

2- Cadwallader, born Nov. 5, 1811; died April 22, 1882, Scott county, Ky.; married Feb. 13, 1839, Elizabeth Henry Patterson, born Prince Edward Co., Va., Dec. 14, 1821; died Franklin County, Ky., Oct. 4, 1889, daughter of

- Alexander and Mary Patterson.

  3- Elizabeth Travers, born July 10, 1813; d.s. Oct. 15, 1886.

  4- George Wythe, born Feb. 9, 1815; died July 19, 1865. (see later)

  5- Mary Overton, born Nov. 7, 1816.

  6- John Moncure, born May 11, 1820; died March 21, 1845.

  7- Jean Wood, born Sept. 22, 1822; died Nov. 15, 1886; married Feb. 24, 1841, Dr. Alexander Augustus Patterson, born Buckingham county, Va., May 13, 1818;
- 8- Richmond Addison, born April 4, 1824; married Nov. 4, 1850, Margaretta G. Mitchell, born Stafford County, 1829; died Nov. 1879, daughter of James and Jean Mitchell, who came from Scotland to Stafford County, Va.
  9- Lucy Daniel, born Dec. 15, 1826; married Jan. 22, 1861, James Minor Holladay 10- Susan Waller Raleigh, born Dec. 9, 1828; married May 28, 1850, John Gano Price, M.D. of Franklin County, Ky., born June 23, 1826.
  11- Walter Raleigh Daniel, C.S.A., Born Nov. 7, 1830; died in C.S. Army, Port Hudson, Miss.
- Hudson, Miss.
- 12- Rev. James Minor, born May 10, 1832; married Euphemia M. Todd; lives near Vicksburg, Miss.

Rev. Addison Murdock (4) Lewis (Zachary 3; Zachary 2; Zachary 1) of Franklin County, Mo.; born "Bel-Air," Spotsylvania county, Va., Sept. 26, 1789; died Huntsville, Mo., Aug. 27, 1857; married 1st Dec. 1810, Sarah Billingsley, born Virginia Dec. 1793; died Jan. 1820, daughter of Rev. Ashcum Billingsley; married 2nd March 20, 1821, Sarah Anne Minor, born March 11, 1799; died St. Louis, Nov. 17, 1886. A member of the Baptist Church over 60 years. Rev. Mr. Lewis was a minister of the Baptist Church.

George Wythe (5) Lewis, (John 4; Zachary 3; Zachary 2; Zachary 1) born Feb. 9, 1815; died Danville, Ky., July 19, 1865; married Sept. 16, 1840, Mary Jane Todd, born May 8, 1820 of Franklin County, Ky., daughter of George and Mary Ellis (Montague) Todd, son of Richard Todd. Mr. Lewis was the editor of the Frankfort, Ky., "Commonwealth," for some years, and at his death of the "National Unionist," Lexington, Ky.

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# HISTORY OF AUGUSTA COUNTY VIRGINIA By J.L. Peyton STATES:

The Lewis family wre originally French Huguenots, and left France after the revocation of the Edict of Nantes, 1685. Three brothers, namely William, Samuel and John, fled to England. Shortly thereafter William removed to the north of Ireland, where he married a Miss McClelland. Samuel fixed his residence in Wales, while John continued in England. Descendants of each of these three brothers are supposed to have settled in Virginia by the late Mrs. Agatha Lewis Towles, who mentioned the fact that Samuel Lewis emigrated from Wales to Portugal, and was never again heard of.

William Lewis, who settled in Ireland, at his death left issue one sonnamely: Andrew who married Miss Calhoun and left issue - namely: 1- John born 1678.

2- Samuel born 1680.

John Lewis (propositus) married Margaret Lynn, died of the Laird of Loch Lynn, and left, at his death in Virginia, the following issue - namely --

1- Samuel, born in Ireland 1716. Served with distinction as a captain in the war between the English and French colonists. His brothers Andrew, William and Charles, were members of his company, and all four were at Braddock's defeat, and three of them wounded. Samuel was afterwards conspicuous in the defence of Greenbrier county and the border settlements from the Indians. He died unmarried.

2- Thomas, born in Ireland, 1718. (see later)
3- Andrew, born in Ireland, 1720. (see later)
4- William, born in Ireland, 1724. (see later)
5- Margaret, born in Ireland, 1726; died unmarried.
6- Anne, born in Ireland, 1728; died unmarried.
7- Charles, born in Virginia 1736. (see later)

Thomas Lewis was short-sighted, and therefore did not figure so conspicuously as his brothers as an Indian warrior. He was a man of much learning and ability, a member of the House of Burgesses, and a member of the Virginia Convention of 1776. His libray was one of the most extensive and well selected in the colony. Thomas Lewis, married Jane, daughter of Willham Strother, of Stafford county, Va., Jan. 26, 1749, and left the following issue ----

1- Thomas born 1749.
2- Margaret Ann, born 1751.
3- Agatha, born 1753.
4- Jane, born 1755.
5- Andrew, born 1757.
6- Thomas, born 1760.
7- Mary, born 1762.
8- Elizabeth, born 1765.
9- Anne, born 1767.
10- France, born 1769.
11- Charles, born 1772.
12- Sophia, born 1775.
13- William Benjamin, born 1778.

General Andrew Lewis, "the Hero of the Point," married Elizabeth Givens, of Augusta County, in 1749, and left issue ---- John; Thomas; Samuel; Andrew; Anne; William.

Col. William Lewis, of the Sweet Springs, called the "Civizer of the Border," married Anne Montgomery April 8th, 1754. Her father, when a child, was sent to Scotland from Ireland, to avoid persecution. There he married Miss Thomson, a relative of the famous poet, James Thomson, of Roxburgshire, the author of "The Seasons." Col. William Lewis died at the Brick House, near the Sweet Springs, 1811. His wife died at the same place 1808. Children ---

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1- Margaret, born 1756.
2- John born 1758.
3- Thomas born 1761.
4- Alexander, born 1763.
William I., born 1766. M.C. for Campbell district.
6- Agatha, born 1774.
7- Elizabeth Montgomery, born 1777.
8- Charles W., 1780.
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Col. Charles Lewis, who was killed Oct. 10, 1774, at the battle of Point Pleasant; married Sarah Murray, a half-sister of Col. Cameron of Bath county, Va. and left the following issue ---

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1- Elizabeth born 1765.

2- John born 1766.

3- Mary, born 1768.

4- Thomas, born 1771.

5- Andrew, born 1772.
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6- Charles. 1774.

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# CAMPBELL CHRONICLES & FAMILY SKETCHES by R.H. Early STATES:

Col. William J. Lewis was the son of Col. William Lewis, of Sweet Springs and grandson of John Lewis, the first settler in Augusta county. He married Elizabeth daughter of Col. Joseph Cabell and his wife, Mary, daughter of Dr. Arthur Hopkins of Goochland and Albemarle.

There is a deed from Archibald Bolling dated Oct. 8, 1796, conveying to William J. Lewis a tract of land called the "Buffalo Lick Plantation" in

Campbell on the Fluvanna river, 800 acres.

Col. Lewis lived upon this land, which he purchased from Bolling, on James river about ten miles from Lynchburg. His residence, called 'Mt.

Athos," was destroyed by fire some years ago.

Lewis was a leading member of Virginia Legislature for many years, and from 1817-19 represented his district in Congress. He died in 1828 and was buried at the summit of the mountain he loved, at a spot select ed by himself for a vult which was blasted out of solid rock. Mrs. Lewis moved to Kentucky after the death of her husband and died there in 1855; they left no children.

# SHEN ANDOAH VALLEY PIONEERS AND THEIR DESCENDANTS by T.K. Cartnell STATES:

The writer can only mention this distinguished family to show their presence in the Valley about the Revolutionary War period. They have a direct line from Col. Fielding Lewis, whose marriage with his two cousins, Kate and Bettie Washington, has always given the Lewis family prominent notice by historians of the Washingtons of Westmoreland.

One of Col. Leris'sons, Magor Lawrence Lewis, married Eleanor Parke Custis, the adopted daughter of General Washington; and Major Lawrence became the grandfather of the Lewis family found in Clarke and Jefferson within the last thirty years. One of his sons was Lorenzo Lewis, who married a Miss Coxe of Philadelphia. Two of his daughters, Frances Parke and Angela married respectively General Butler, of Louisiana, and Hon. Charles M. Conrad, of the same State. (President Filmore's Secretary of War.)

Mr. Lewis had six sons, three of whom were familiar figures in the Lower Valley. They were J.R.C.; Edward P.C.; and H.L. Dangerfield Lewis. The former was an officer in Commodore Perry's expedition to Japan, and also an officer in the Confederate Army 1861-65. After this service, he retired to his farm in Clarke County. Edward P.C. became prominent in business in Hoboken, N.Y. The youngest son, Dangerfield Lewis, was president of the S.V. Agricultural Society. His home was in Clarke, the old Audley homestead. After his death, his widow and children removed to New York.

# THE HISTORY OF PITTSYLVANIA COUNTY VIRGINIA BY M.C. Clement STATES:

John Lewis of "The Byrd" made his home on Dan River in the southeastern part of the county. In his will proven July 21, 1794, he named sons Robert, Charles and John, daughter Jane, who married Jonathan Read, Mary who married Williams and Elizabeth who married a Hobson. He bequeathed "to my son Robert Lewis all that tract of land which I purchased of John Lewis, Senior of the Mountain." Charles Lewis, son of John Lewis, of "The Byrd", married Mrs. Gatrehood Glover Johns, of Milton, N.C. and had issue: Nicholas, Lucy, who married Fielding Walker, and Elizabeth who married Warner Williams. His will was proven Nov. 1817. John Lewis of "The Byrd" of Pittsylvania was the son of Charles Lewis if "The Byrd" of Goochland, born 1696; and grandson of Colonel John Lewis of Warner Hall, Gloucester, and his wife, Elizabeth Warner, daughter of Col. Augustine Warner.

Zacherias Lewis was the son of Chalres Lewis whose will was recorded in Pittsylvania in 1805, naming sons Charles Lewis, Zacherias Lewis, Edward Lewis and James Lewis; daughter Lucretia, and died in 1817, when his estate was settled, leaving no will.

Edward Lewis was the son of Charles Lewis, whose will was proven Oct. 19, 1805, naming sons Edward, Zacheriah, Charles, James, John and William

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# VIRGINIA COUNTY RECORDS , SPOTSYLVANIA COUNTY by W.A. Crozier

Will Book D: William Lewis, Fredericksburg, dated Jan. 17, 1763; pro. July 4, 1763. Leg: son, James Lewis; sons John, William, Benjamin and George; wife Sarah Lewis.

Will Book D: Zachary Lewis, dated July 7, 1764; pro. Feb. 4, 1765. Leg: son John; son Waller; son Benjamin; son John and Zachary, Waller and Benjamin, 900 acres of land and grist mill lying in Orange Co.; Wife Mary, daughters, Meriwether, Betty Littlepage; Lucy Ford; Dorothea Smith; son-in-law James Littlepage.

Will Book D: Sarah Lewis, dated Oct. 28, 1771. Leg: daughter Elizabeth Richards; grandson James Lewis; granddau. Sarah Richards, dau. of Elizabeth Richards; grandchildren William and Sarah Richards, son and daughter of Winifred Richards.

Will Book E: John Lewis, St. George's Parish, Spotsylvania Co., dated May 31, 1766; Executors Bond dated Oct. 19, 1780. Leg: wife, (not by name) son John Zachary Lewis; son Robert Lewis; son Nicholas Lewis. Codicil dated Nov. 3, 1776, gives to Robert tract of land on Glady Run.

Will Book W. Robert Lewis, Berkeley Parish, Spots. Vo. dated Aug. 13, 1782. Executors Bond dated Jan. 16, 1783. Leg: my only son, Robert Lewis, all my estate when he comes to twenty-one years of age. In case of his death under age, to be equally divided amongst all my brothers and sisters.

Will Book E: Nicholas Lewis, dated Feb. 14, 1783; pro. Oct. 16, 1783. Leg: wife Elizabeth Lewis, sons Thomas M. Lewis and John Lewis.

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# VIRGINIA COUNTY RECORDS, WESTMORELAND COUNTY by W.A. Crozier

Will of Surles Lewis, 27 Dec. 1729; 29 June 1836. Mentions: Sons Thomas, Surles, John and James; dau. Sara Render; wife Elizabet

Mentions: Son John; son-in-law ---- Lewis; to John son of Catherine Garrad; to William Roussau and his brother James; son William Roussau exor.

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# INDEX TO OBITUARY NOTICES IN THE RICHMOND ENQUIRER & WHIG by H.R. McIlwaine

Mrs. Agnes Lewis, Charles City, Aug. 20, 1822.
Dr. Alred Lewis, and Mrs. Elizabeth Travers, Spotsylvania, Aug. 28, 1827.
Col. Andrew Lewis, Mason, June 11, 1833.
Dr. Andrew Lewis, Botetourt, Oct. 11, 1822.
Ann Marks Lewis, Albemarle, Oct. 29, 1833.
Ann Overton Lewis, Spotsylvania, March 23, 1821.
Burrell Lewis, New Kent, Aug. 13, 1824.
Fdward Lewis, ----, Oct. 5, 1827.
Fielding Lewis, Charles City, June 24, 1834.
Maj. George Lewis, Fredericksburg, Nov. 27, 1821.
Howell Lewis, Mason, Jan. 13, 1823.
Mrs. Jane Lewis, Goochland, Feb. 21, 1818.
Jane Elizabeth Lewis, Albemarle, July 12, 1811.
Capt. John Lewis, Sweet Springs, June 24, 1823.
John W. Hewis, Mecklenburg, April 10, 1835.
Joseph J. Lewis, Culpeper, Dec. 23, 1824.
Joseph J. Lewis, Culpeper, Dec. 10, 1824.
Matilda B. Lewis, Albemarle, Nov. 2, 1819.
Meriwether Lewis, Fredericksburg, Jan. 22, 1829.
Capt. Thomas Lewis, Buckingham, Oct. 11, 1825.
Dr. Thomas Lewis, Westmoreland, Aug. 23, 1833.
William Lewis, Buckingham, Sept. 15, 1837.

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# SOME VIRGINIA MARRIAGES by C.D. McDonald Jr.

Benjamin Lewis & Elizabeth Edmunds, 8 Sept. 1787, Brunswick Co. Enoch Lewis & Lucy Parker, 13 March 1782, Sussex Co. Jesse Lewis & Rodey Bell, 24 Sept. 1790, Franklin Co. Samuel Lewis & Sarah Bailey, 15 Nov. 1785, Frederick Co. Thomas Lewis & Jane Strother, 26 Jan. 1749, Rockingham Co.

William Lewis & Sarah Taylor, 29 May 1771, Norfolk Co. Zachary Lewis & Ann Overton, 2 May 1771, Louisa Co. Benjamin Lewis & Harriet Booth, 15 Dec. 1823, Brunswick Co. Benjamin Lewis & Mary Harris, 10 Nov. 1752, Southampton Co. Edward Lewis & Polly Wright, 25 Dec. 1792, Franklin Co.

George Lewis & Nancy Young, 19,\*1790, Bedford Co. \*Feb. Herbert Lewis & Nancy Woodward, 19 Nov. 1787, Sussex Co. John Lewis & Elizabeth McBride, 30 May 1758, Goochland Co. John Lewis & Rebecca Hott, 21 Nov. 1793, Frederick Co. Joseph Lewis & Sarah Bell, 7 May, 1787, Franklin Co.

Robert Lewis & Sally Avery, 6 Jan. 1798, Sussex Co. Charles Lewis & Joice Price, 20 Feb. 1783, Halifax Co. John Lewis & Rachel Miller, 1 April 1789, Augusta Co. Nicholas Lewis & Michaell Burk, 19 Sept. 1717, Middlesex Co. Pleasant Lewis & Jemima Owen, 1 March 1787, Henrico Co.

Robert Lewis & Jane Woodson, 19 Feb. 1760, Goochland Co. Nicholas Lewis & Elizabeth Meriwether, 23 July 1776, Halifax Co. George Lewis & Hannah Tankard, 17 April 1811, Northampton Co. John Lewis & Elizabeth Trowbridge, 3 Aug. 1821, Frederick Co. Absalom Lewis & Molly Killmon, 28 Jan. 1789, Accomack Co.

Charles Lewis & Anne Hance, 18 March 1792, Augusta Co. John Lewis & Milly Cannaday, 29 April 1789, Halifax Co. John Lewis & Levinia Taylor, 27 Nov. 1797, Accomack Co. Abraham Lewis, & Dinah Fair, 12 March 1810, Frederick Co. Charles Lewis & Isabella Trigg, 24 June 1800, Botetourt Co.

George Lewis & Mary Taylor, 16 Jan. 1800, Accomack Co. John Lewis & Sarah Davis, 11 March 1811, Henry Co. Nicholas Lewis & Joice Shepard, 14 June 1787, Gloucester Co. John Lewis & Loanna Lipscomb, 14 Aug. 1781, Amelia Co. Robert Lewis & Anne Ragland, 25 Jan. 1795, Halifax Co.

Archelous Lewis & Jemima Norman, 10 Dec. 1793, Culpeper Co. Edward Lewis & Elizabeth Fleming, 16 Oct. 1786, Prince Edward Co. Exum Lewis & Zilpha Hedgpeth, 12 Feb. 1789, Southampton Co. Francis Lewis & Elizabet h Hester, 27 April 1786, Mecklenburg Co. Henry Lewis & Susanna Hoge, 26 Aug. 1786, Frederick Co.

John Lewis & Rebecca Sowards, 29 April 1791, Greenbrier Co. — John Lewis Jr. & Rachel Viney, 24 May 1785, Greenbrier Co. — Joseph Lewis & Selah Flowers, 3 Nov. 1797, Sussex Co. Reuel Lewis & Silvey Abernathy, 7 Aug. 1787, Brunswick Co. Thomas Lewis & Agness Jones, 28 Dec. 1781, Bedford Co.

Zachariah Lewis & Mary Stanton, 21 Nov. 1792, Culpeper Co. Zachariah Lewis & Mary Brent, 24 Aug. 1756, Stafford Co. Evan Lewis & Margaret Fleet, 9 Nov. 1813, Frederick Co. William Lewis & Peggy Read 6 April 1801, Pittsylvania Co. Howell Lewis & Anne Bolling, 16 April 1784, Goochland Co.

Christopher Lewis & Peggy Price, 22 March 1798, Norfolk Co. Elias Lewis & Mary Whiteside, 1795, Rockbridge Co. Francis Lewis & Polly Hudson, 26 Nov. 1785, Albemarle Co. Griffin Lewis & Lucy Luggitt, 18 Sept. 1760, Richmond Co. James Lewis & Nancy Watkins, 1794, Orange Co.

John Lewis & Elizabeth Cannon, 8 Feb. 1776, Goochland Co. Jonathan Lewis & Sarah Morgan, 10 Aug. 1782, Middlesex Co. Robert Lewis & Anne Bugg, 11 Nov. 1788, Mecklenburg Co. Thomas T. Lewis & Elizabeth Cannell, 30 Aug. 1798, Louisa Co. William Lewis & Dinah Viney, 12 July 1796, Greenbrier Co.

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# ABSTRACTS OF WILLS & INVENTORIES FAIRFAX COUNTY, VA. by J.E. S. King

Thomas Lewis Sr: 15 July 1771; 17 Sept. 1771. Mentions: Wife, Elizabeth Sons: Thomas, James, William, Henry, John. Daughters: Ann, Sarah, Jane, Francis and Winnifred Lewis. Exrs. Wife, Thomas, James and Winnifred Lewis.

Thomas Lewis: 13 Sept. 1749; 26 Sept. 1749. Mentions: wife Sarah. Leg: Thomas Lewis (brother Stephen Lewis son), Elizabeth Lewis, (dau. of brothe Stephen). Exrs: Thomas Lewis, Stephen Lewis.

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JONES OF VIRGINIA

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# SOUTHSIDE VIRGINIA FAMILIES by J.B. Boddie STATES:

James (2) Jones, who died in Prince George in 1725, was the son of James (1) Jones of the same county, who died there in 1719.

James (2) Jones married Rebecca ----, last name unknown. His will was probated in Prince George in 1725. The children mentioned therein were----1- Elizabeth

2- Robert born 1694; died 1775; married Elizabeth ---.

3- James Jr., married Sarah Edmunds.

4- Rebecca.

5- David married Susannah ----.

6- John married Sarah Batte.

7- Richard born 1703; died 1774. (see: later)

Richard (3) Jones, born 1703; died Feb. 18, 1774, married Anne Hamilton, born 1708, died Feb. 21, 1774, dau. of George Hamilton whose inventory was filed in Sussex 1764. The will of Richard Jones was dated Feb. 14, 1774, and proven in Surry March 22, 1774. The will of his wife, Anne Jones, was dated Feb. 18, 1774, four days later, and proven with his will on March 22, 1774. children----

- 1- Hamilton, died 1781, in Surry, married Jacobina Willie, dau. of the Rev. William Willie, rector of Albemarle Parish.
- 2- Robert was named for his Uncle Robert Jones, who died in his 81st year, Feb. 14. 1775.
- 3- Anne married 1st Capt. William Eldridge; 2nd John Cargill III.
- 4- John (4) born Feb. 14, 1735, died Jan. 11, 1803. (see later)

5- James

- 6- Richard
- 7- William
- 8- Susanna married Curetor.

Col. John Jones, born Feb. 14, 1735; died Jan. 11, 1803; married July 22, 1758, Elizabeth Binns, dau. of Judith (Eldridge) and Charles Binns, born May 11, 1740, died Jan. 28, 1803.

Colonel Jones moved to Brunswick about 1757 and there held nearly all the offices in the gift of his fellow citizens. He was a Justice 1760-95; Sheriff 1773-75; County Clerk, 1789-93; Vestryman & Churchwarden, 1775-59; County Treasurer, 1771; member of House of Burgess 1772-73; Member Va. Senate, 1776-89; Speaker of the Senate, 1788-89; member Va. Convention of 1788; Colonel and County Lieutenant in the militia, the last from 1778 to 1789. He probably saw active service in the campaign of 1781 and earned the nickname of "Hellcat" Jones."

Children---

- 1- Binns, born May 20, 1759, died Feb. 13, 1791; married Elizabeth Cargill; vestryman, justice, member of Va. Convention of 1788, Lieut. & Regimental Quartermaster in Va. State Troops.
- 2- Ann, born March 30, 1764, died Nov. 23, 1802, married John Herbert Claiborne of Dinwiddie.
- 3- John Jr. born March 30, 1764, died 1845, married Lucy Binns Cargill, June 2,
- 4- Charles Binns, born Nov. 18, 1766, died Sept. 21, 1797, succeeded his father as Clerk of Brunswick.

- 5- Richard, born June 13, 1769, died Jan. 17, 1789. 6- Elizabeth Binns, born 21st May 1773, married Sept. 20, 1799 Col. Joseph Wilkins of Greensville County.
- 7- George Hamilton, born May 1, 1775, married Eliza Wright, died 1820. (see later)
- 8- Thomas Williamson, born April 4, 1778, died Dec. 9, 1788. 9- Sarah, born Feb. 18, 1782, died Nov. 22, 1788.

- George (6) Hamilton Jones, born May 1, 1775, died 1820, married Aug. 4. 1797, Elizabeth, dau. of John Wright of Southamoton Co. Children----
- 1- Charles Binns Jones, married Caroline Montgomery DuBrutz of N.C. (see later)

2- Sarah Ann Jones, born March 30, 1764, married Ebenezer Pope. 3- John Jones married Caroline Stith.

4- Elizabeth Binns Jones, married William Pannill. 5- George Henry Jones, married Frances Raincock.

6- Joseph Jones, unmarried.

7- Eloise Williamson Jones, married John Calvert Taylor.

8- Ann Rosina Jones, Spinster.

- 9- Mary Louise Jones, married Norborne T. Page.
- 10- Caroline Matilda Jones married William A. Page.
- 11- Georgianna Jones. married Rev. William Spencer.

Charles Binns Jones, born 1798, Brunswick Co., moved to Petersburg, Dinwiddie Co., Va., died near Linden, Marengo Co., Ala. Married Dec. 10, 1818, Fayetteville, Cumberland Co., N.C., Caroline Montgomery DuBrutz, born 1799, Fayetteville, N.C., died 1888, dau. of Gabriel DuBrutz, who was born in France, Dec. 25, 1763.

# HISTORICAL SOUTHERN FAMILIES VOL. IV by J. B. Boddie STATES:

The first one of this family so far discovered was Rowland Jones, Vicar of Wendover of County Bucks, England. He was very probably educated in Cambridge or Oxford and no doubt this family could be accurately traced back to to its origin in Wales or England. Rowland Jones, the Vicar, made his will Sept. 1, 1665. He desired to be buried in the Parish Church of Wendover, mentions wife Alice, and gives to son Rowland his books and manunscripts. His children from the will were: Rowland, Anne, married Heritage, Jane, married Gooch; Mary married Thompson; Elizabeth, Michael. His daughter Elizabeth was sole executrix, and in case she died her cousin (Nephew) Michael Thompson was to succeed her. On Feb. 14, 1667, a commission was issued to Rowland Jones because bothe Elizabeth Jones and Michael Thompson were deceased.

The Reverend Rowland Jones of Bruton Parish, Williamsburg, Va., matriculated at Merton College, Oxford, Nov. 13, 1663, aged 19, as the son of Rowland Jones of Kimbell, Bucks. He was the first minister of Bruton Parish. His epitaph in the churchyard states he was a native of Swinbrook, near Burford, son of Rowland Jones, Clerk; died April 23, 1688, in his 48th year.

The first wife of the Rev. Rowland Jones was "Elizabeth," family name unknown. She was buried Oct. 29, 1678. His second wife was Anne Lane. He made his will Aug. 15, 1687, probated Dec. 13, 1688. Names wife Anne Jones; Sons Robert Jones, William Jones, Orlando Jones; daughter Anna Maria Jones; sisters Anne ----; Mary Thompson; Bressie; sister-in-law Elizabeth Thomas; cozen Mary Jones; kinsman Edward Jones. Children---

- 1- Robert, dsp. Feb. 16, 1694.
- 2- William died 1719.

3- Anna Maria, born 1685, married 1st William Timson (1678-1719); married 2nd

Edmund Scarborough, dsp.; married 3rd John Thornton.
4- Orlando, born Dec. 31, 1681, died June 12, 1719. He represented King William in the House of Burgesses; died at his mansion on Queen's Creek; was buried in York, Nov. 16, 1719. His wife Martha Macon died May 4, 1716. Their children from St. Peter's Register were----Frances born Aug. 6, 1710; married Col. John Dandridge, July 22, 1730. Their dau. Martha Dandridge, born June 21, 1731, married Daniel Park Custis (1711-1757), Martha Dandridge Custis married 2nd, President George Washington.

Edward Jones. evidently an uncle of the Rev. Rowland Jones of Bruton Parish. was living in Isle of Wight in 1653.

Edward Jones made his will in York County, dated 14th Oct. 1690; pro; Nov. 10th, 1690. Names wife Mary Jones; son John Jones; cozen Nathaniel Davis; godson Orlando Jones; cozen Ann Jones, Widdowe; loveing friend Capt. Francis Page.

Edward Jones, Jr., of Isle of Wight, was not mentioned in the will of Edward, Sr., as he had already received his portion.

It is evident from the wills of the Rev. Rowland Jones & from that of Edward Jones that the two men were related. The Rev. Rowland Jones makes his "loving kinsman Edward Jones" a trustee of his will. Edward Jones, dying about two years later, leaves a ring "to my cozen (Niece) Ann Jones, widow", who was the widow of the Rev. Rowland Jones.

Edward Jones, following the custom of those days, was Godfather to Orlando Jones, son of Rowland. Orlando Jones married Martha Macon, Jan. 31, 1703, dau. of Gideon Macon. Gideon Macon, grandson of this Gideon Macon, married Priscilla Jones, dau. of Edward Jones, III, grandson of Edward Jones I, of York County. It was also a custom of the times for cousins to marry cousins.

Edward Jones, Jr., signed the Royalist Petition in 1677. He married Deborah, dau. of William Exum. Edward made his will Jan. 27, 1722; probated July 15, 1730; legatees --eldest son Edward; son William; son Joseph; daughters Jane, Sarah, Deborah and Mary; wife Deborah.

Edward Jones III, eldest son of Edward Jr., married Abigail Sugars, dau. of John Sugars, of Surry Co. Edward Jones III moved to Granville County. N.C. His will, probabted in 1750, names: sons Sugar, James, Edward, Daniel and Robert: daughters Sarah, Obedience and Priscilla Macon,

## SOME PROMINENT VIRGINIA FAMILIES by Louise Pecquet du Bellet · STATES:

Dr. Thomas Marshall (7) Jones, son of James Fitzergerald Jones and Anne Lewis Marshall, his wife, of Alexandria, Va., born at "Woodside," Fauquier Co., Va., Sept. 15, 1848. Married, June 23, 1880, Elizabeth Winter Payne, dau. of Rice Wingfield Payne, of Warrenton, Va., and America Semmes. He was educated at Winchester Academy, and the University of Virginia, and graduated at the Medical College, of Baltimore, Md. Issue---

1- Rice Wingfield (8) Jones, born about 1881; practing law in Atlanta, Ga.

2- Anne Lewis Jones born about 1882.

3- John Marshall (8) Jones, born about 1884. 4- Elizabeth Winter Jones, born about 1886.

5- James Fitzerald (8) Jones, born about 1888.

6- Cora Shriver Jones, born about 1891.

Rev. Strother (7) Jones, son of James Fitzgerald Jones & Anne Lewis Marshall, his wife, born at "Woodside," Fauquier Co., Va., April 10, 1852. Married, at Elexandria, Va., Dec. 18, 1876, Kate Uhler Smoot, born June 27, 1854; died Aug. 25, 1886. Married second, Nov. 22, 1888, Minnie C. Smoot. He is now rector of a church in Trenton, New Jersey.

Issue by first marriage---1- Josiah Smoot Jones, born May 21, 1878.

Issue by 2nd marriage---

2- William Strother (8) Jones, born Jan. 11, 1890.

3- Edward Harral Jones born Oct. 23, 1895.

James Fitzgerald (7) Jones, son of James Fitzgerald Jones & Anne Lewis Marshall, his wife, born at "Woodside," Fauquier Co., Va. July 27, 1853. Married, Aug. 13, 1879, Jane Seldon McGuire, born at Glen Burnie, Fauquier Co., June 3, 1855; died May 21, 1887. Married 2nd, Aug. 3rd, 1893, Marianna Carter McGuire, born 1860. He is a farmer & lives at Hampstead, Va. His first wife was dau. of Dr. R.I. McGuire and Agnes Douthat.

Issue by 1st marriage---1- Robert McGuire (8) Jones, born Dec. 21, 1881.

2- William Strother (8) Jones, born Oct. 18, 1883.

3- James Fitzgerald Jones born Sept. 8, 1885.

4- Jeannie McGuire Jones born May 19, 1887; died March 20, 1890.

Issue by 2nd marriage----

5- Edward Cary (8) Jones, born Sept. 18, 1894.

6- Agnes Harwood Jones, born Feb. 3, 1900.

Fielding Lewis (7) Jones, son of James Fitzgerald Jones & Anne Lewis Marshall, his wife, born at "Woodside," Fauquier Co., March 16, 1855. Aug. 17, 1881, Nellie C. Stanley. They reside at Fenta, Colorado.

Agnes Alexander (7) Jones, dau. of James Fitzgerald Jones & Anne Lewis Marshall, born at "Woodside," Fauquier Co., Aug. 3, 1859. Married Nov. 22, 1882, Dr. William S. Butler, Professor in the Lunatic Asylum, at Staunton, Va., son of Dr. Samuel Butler, of Norfolk, Va., and grandson of Rev. Samuel Butler, rector during the Revolutionary War, of the Brick Church in the Isle of Wight Co., Va.

Claudia Hamilton Marshall, dau. of James Keith Marshall & Claudia H. Burwell, his wife, born at Leeds, Fauquier Co., Feb. 7, 1839. Married at Leeds, Aug. 5, 1861, Colonel Hilary Jones, born in Fluvanna County, Va., July 13. 1833.

Colonel Jones, is the son of Basil Jones & Lucy Timberlake, of Fluvanna His grandfather was Benjamin Jones, of Rockville, Montgomery Co., Md. His grandmother was a Miss Magruder, of Prince George Co., Md. Colonel Jones is a brother of Willie Jones. Issue----

1- Hilary P. (7) Jones, born Nov. 14, 1863.

2- Alice Jones, born Aug. 25, 1866, at Ashleigh, Fauquier Co. 3- Lucy M. Jones, born at Hanover Academy, Va., Nov. 15, 1867. 4- Claudia Jones born at Hanover Academy, July 19, 1872.

5- James K. Jones, born at Hanover Academy, March 21, 1878.

6- Basil Magruder Jones, born at Hanover Academy, Sept. 10, 1880.

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# OLD KING WILLIAM HOMES & FAMILIES by P.N. Clarke STATES:

Mary Elizabeth (5) Pollard, dau. of George Butler Pollard, married Thomas S. Jones of King William Co. Issue James Leigh (see later); Minetry (see later); Frances Anne; Sarah H.; Hannah Cary, Thomas and Eugene. The latter two served in the Confederate States Army and werekilled in the civil war.

James Leigh (6) Jones, born in King William Co., Nov. 1, 1833; died at Richmond, Va. Oct. 26, 1895. Married April 17, 1867, Lizzie Blanche Davis, dau. of Colonel John B. Davis, of Richmond. Issue Annie Leigh and Elizabeth B. Annie Leigh married Bernard Lewis Tyree, son of Rev. William Tyree.

Minetry (6) Jones, married a Miss Turner and lives at St. Joseph, Missouri.

Frances Anne Jones, born June 6, 1836; married July 1, 1857, Thomas J. Bosher, born May 20, 1836, and lives at Manquin, King William Co.

Sarah Henrietta Jones, born in King William Co.; married June 1864, Charles Watkins, of Charlotte Co., Va., living in Richmond.

Hannah Cary Jones, born Aug. 26, 1840; married Dec. 2, 1868, Robert S. Smither, of Richmond, Va., born in King & Queen Co., Oct. 28, 1828.

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# WILLS & ADMINISTRATIONS OF ISLE OF WIGHT COUNTY by B.A. Chapman

Anthony Jones: Leg. brother William if he comes to live in this country, the plantation where Thomas Parker lives. If he desires to return home 3,000 pounds of tobacco; to dau.-in-law Ann Smith; sister Catherine Jones; God-son Anthony Binford; Thomas & John Smith 2,000 acres on Blackwater; wife Ann. Aug. 16, 1649. Wit. Robert Watson, Edward Chetwood, Thomas Brasee.

Ann Jones: Leg. son John the 300 acres of land purchased of Edmond Palmer, John Portis, Sr. & Henry Martin; son Abraham; son John's three children, Joseph, John & Ann; dau. Ann Barnes. Capt. Arthur Smith & Henry Applewhaite, Overseers. D. April 15, 1704. R. Jan. 9, 1706/7

Susanna Jones: Leg. husband Arthur Jones; my father Henry King; dau. Elizabeth; dau. Mary. D. Dec. 19, 1691. R. May 26, 1713.

Edward Jones: Leg. eldest son Edward; son William; son Joseph land on the Blackwater; dau. Jane; dau. Sarah; dau. Deborah; dau. Mary; wife Deborah. Exs. wife & sons Joseph & William Jones. D. Jan. 15, 1722. R. July 27, 1730.

Jacob Jones: Leg. brother William Jones. Ex. brother Nathan Jones. D. Nov. 21, 1727. R. March 25, 1728.

Thomas Jones: Of the Parish of Newport. Leg. son Thomas; son William; dau. Mary English; dau. Ann Johnson, the estate which I have brought of my son-in-law, Abraham Johnson; dau. Catherine Griffin; dau. Sarah Johnson; dau. Martha Johnson; son Philip. Ex., son Philip Jones. D. Nov. 15, 1748. R. March 1, 1749.

William Jones: Leg. son Joseph; son Jess; dau. Olive; dau. Honour; dau. Mary; granddau. Lucy Jones; wife Elizabeth. Exs., sons Joseph & Jesse. D. Dec. 29, 1742. R. June 25, 1744.

Abraham Jones: Leg. son Mathew; son John; son Abraham; dau. Ann Pitman; dau. Martha Delk. Exs. sons Mathew & John Jones. D. March 28, 1757. R. Jan. 5, 1758.

Richard Jones: Leg. son Benjamin; son Solomon; son Jacob; son Richard; son Jesse. Wife Mary Jones. D. March 7, 1757. R.----

John Jones: Leg. son James; grandson John Jones; wife Patience. D. Sept. 12, 1767. R. Oct. 1, 1767.

John Jones: Leg. dau. Easter; son John; dau. Mary; son Frederick; wife Sarah; son William; son Allen Jones. D. May 19, 1770. R. Aug. 2, 1770.

Abraham Jones: Leg. nephew William Jones; nephew Moreland Delk; father Abraham Jones; niece Esther Copher; niece Mary Stagg; friend Belah Williford; friend Jordan Williford. D. Sept. 4, 1787. R. Dec. 6, 1790.

David Jones: Leg. son Willis; dau. Frances; dau. Selah; dau. Constant; son Joseph; dau. Peggy; to with with reversion to dau. Charlotte Jones. Extx. wife. D. May 17, 1793. R. Jan. 5, 1795.

Frederick Jones: Leg. son Thomas; son James; wife Susannah, among all my children. Ex., brother David Jones. D. Jan. 16, 1781. R. July 5, 1781.

Willis Jones: Leg. wife; sister Sally; sister Peggy; worthy father. Ex. William Bouce. D. Dec. 7, 1794. R. April 6, 1795.

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# A HISTORY OF HENRY COUNTY VIRGINIA by J.P.A. Hill. STATES:

Three Jones families are considered in this chapter, Benjamin Jones, Charles Jones & Ambrose Jefferson Jones. The two last mentioned are related.

In 1679, David Jones, from Wales, entered land where the City of Baltimore now stands, and gave name to the stream that runs through the City. His grandson Joshua Jones lived in Culpeper County, Virginia, & married in 1751, Isabel Norman. Their children were Benjamin, John, James & Thomas.

John Jones reared two sons, John & Martin, and a dau. Sally, who married a Houston, from which union Gen. Sam Houston was descended.

James Jones went to Tennessee. Thomas Jones located in Georgia.

Benjamin Jones, was born April 25, 1752, in Culpeper Co., Va. Married Elizabeth de Remi (Reamey) Sept. 7, 1776, in Prince William Co. She was a great granddau. of a Huguenot refugee, Jean de Remi, of Picardy, France, who came to Charleston, 1690; his son Pierre later moved to Virginia. They settled on Jones Creek near Martinsville, rearing the following children: Thomas, Sannford, Gabriel Remi, Bartlett, George Washington, Pamela, Benjamin Churchill, and Elizabeth. Benjamin Jones died in 1843, aged 91. His remains with those of his wife and son Remi, rest in Oakwood Cemetery, Martinsville.

### FIRST GENERATION:

Thomas Jones married Elizabeth Lyell, of Pittsylvania County, where he afterwards resided and reared the following children: Benjamin, Bartlett, Mary Decatur, Elizabeth and Martha.

Sanford Jones married a Miss Hodges, and reared a family in Pittsylvania County.

Gabriel Remi Jones married in 1809, Mary Bryant, and there were two children, Jane Elizabeth, who married Moses Carper, Clerk of Franklin Co. Court and a son Beverly.

Dr. Bartlett Jones married Eliza Dunlap, and settled in Lancaster, South Carolina. Issue: Benjamin Rush, Constantine, Mary Theresa, and Virginia.

George Washington Jones married Salina Dunlap, of South Carolina, located at Leeksville, North Carolina, where he practiced many years and reared two sons Erasmus Dowen and Adolphus Dorsett.

Pamel Jones married John Menzies, and settled in Tennessee.

Dr. Benjamin Churchill Jones located in Lancaster, S. C., married a dau. of General Davis. United States Minister to the Court of France.

Elizabeth Jones married James Kyle, and settled in Georgia.

## SECOND GENERATIONS:

Children of Thomas Jones; Benjamin Jones had a dau. Nannie who married John Anthony of Axton, Virginia. Decatur Jones married Harriett Kean, and lived at Bachelor's Hall, Pittsylvania Co. and recred the following children: Araminta Jones, married John H. Holcomb, Danville Va.; Maria Louisa Jones married H.B. Baase; William Henry Jones married Elizabeth Kean; Bettie A. Jones married M.C. Cunningham, of Greensboro, N.C.; Nannie Witcher Jones married Victor McAdoo first, second married R.R. King; Emmie Jones not married; John Kean Jones married Mary Flain Wilkinson of Md.; Thomas D. Jones married Mattie Southgate, Durham, N.C.; Charles Jones never married; Dorsey Jones married Mary Glenn, Halifax, Virginia.

Bartlett Jones of Pittsylvania married Miss Keen, lived in that County and reared the following children: Withcer Jones, of California; Keen Jones of Pittsylvania County; Elisha Jones, of Danville, who married Annie Robinson; Annie M. Jones married Dr. John James, Danville.

Elizabeth Jones married Capt. George Gravely, of this County.

Mary Jones married James O. Martin, Pittsylvania County

Martha Jones, never married was a typical aristocrat of the old South. She died 1910.

Children of Dr. Bartlett Jones: Benjamin Rush Jones, practiced medicine in Montgomery, Ala.; Mary Jones married Judge James Witherspoon, of South Caroline; Theresa married Dr. J. Marion Simms, famous New York surgeion and physician to Empress Eugenia, of Paris; Virginia married Mr. William Hooper, son of Gen. William Hooper; her dau. Theresa, married Governor Joseph Johnson, of Alabama.

Children of Gabriel Remie Jones: Jane Elizabeth, married Moses Carper. Dr. Beverly Jones, was born Aug. 18, 1811, read medicine with his uncle, Dr. Jones, Leaksville, N.C. He began practise of medcine, Germanton, N.C., and in 1843 married Julia Conrad, a great granddau. of Jacob Lash (Loesch), one of twelve founders of the Moravian Colony of Wachovia, 1753, and long connected with its government. Dr. Jones & wife moved from Bethania to Oak Grove, 1848, where he practised medicine fifty years over a wide territory. The children of this union were: Abram Gabriel, James Benjamin, Alexander Conrad, Robert Henry, Erastus Beverly, Ella Mary, Virginia E., Julia P., Kate E., and Lucien G.

Charles Jones Family is of Welsh descent, but by marriage claims lineage direct from Lord Bacon of England. This family can be traced to the first settlers in Eastern Virginia.

Charles Jones, the progenitor of this family in the county, was born in Grayson county, in 1768, and came to Henry after the Revolution War, settling finally just couth of Ridgeway. He acquired a large boundary of land and married about 1790, Polly, the sister of George King who married Gen. Joseph Martin's dau., Susan, and dau. of Rev. John King who came from Brunswick Co. to Leatherwood. Their children were: Betsy, Polly, Jane, Nancy, another dau. who married an Allen and went to Mo., and George King.

### FIRST GENERATION:

George King Jones was born Nov. 11, 1803, married Ann, the dau. of Hon. John King, of Henry county, in 1827, and settled just on the border of Ridgeway, where he reared his family, and died in 1881.

Polly Jones married Willaim Dalton, of Rockingham, N.C.

## SECOND GENERATION:

Of the children of Charles, and Polly Jones his wife, we record as follows Benjamin Seward Jones, was born Oct. 8, 1828, married first Mary DeShazo, dau. of George K. DeShazo, and lived the life of a very successful farmer near Ridgeway, where he reared a large family by the aid of his seonc wife, Nannie Price, who was a model step-mother; their children, of the first union were as follows: Sallie, Ann, George Kine, Nathaniel L., William B., Lelia, Mary Bennie, Henrietta, and Robert L. He died in 1917.

John C. Jones was born Dec. 6, 1830, married Ann Coan, of South Carolina, and settled in Ridgeway where he was a farmer, and Supervisor for a long term of years. He was the first postmaster of Ridgeway when it was established in 1850. He died in 1919. Their children were: Anna, Mollie, John William, Estelle, and Charlie Coan.

Mary Ann Jones was born June 6, 1837, married John O. Coan of South Carolina.

George Osborn Jones was born May 27, 1846. He married Mary Churchill and died in 1922. Their children were: Annie S., George Byron, John Brengle, Thomas King, James Benjamin, Mary Churchill, Daisy, Gertrude, and Paul who died in infancy.

## THIRD GENERATION:

Of the Children of Benjamin S. Jones we record the following: Sallie Jones married William H. Norman; Ann Jones married Robert Hall of Reidsville, N.C.; George King Jones never married. He was a fine business man traveling in Georgia in the interest of George O. Jones. Tobacco Factory products, and made these brands popular and very renumerative. He accumlated a large estate, and developed typhoid fever and died in 1889.

Nathanile Jones married Anna Perry, dau. of M.F. Perry, of N.C. Henrietta Jones married George DeShazo, of Rockingham county, N.C.

Of the children of John C. Jones we note as follows: Anna Jones married William D. Mitchell of Franklin county; Mollie Jones married Dr. Dorsey B. Downey of Frederick Md. He was a popular physician at Norfolk, where he died in 1920.

John William Jones married Loula Grogan, of Rockingham county, N.C. Estelle Jones never married.

Charlie Coan Jones married Bessie Strother, of Culpeper county, Va. He was a good business man at Ridgeway where he spent his life, He was accidentally killed by a car while on the way to the cemetery in the funeral procession with the remains of his brother-in-law, Dr. Downey. His only child was an infant, John C. Jones.

The children of George O. Jones & Mary Churchill are: Annie S. Jones married R. J.B. DeShazo; George Byron Jones, a cashier of the Bank of Ridge-way, never married; Thomas King Jones, merchant of Ridgeway, married Ethel Crogan, of N.C.; James Benjamin Jones married Lina Griggs; Mary Churchill Jones married William J. Mitcehll, a merchant of Ridgeway; Daisy King Jones married Dr. Andrew F. Tuttle, of Spray, N.C.; Gertrude Jones married C.S. Oakley.

Ambrose Jefferson Jones: The family clain their descent from Welsh stock although it comes through England with Lord Bacon in their linet. The Progenitor of the Henry County family, Ambrose J. Jones, came from beyond the Blue Ridge where he was born in 1770. He settled on Beaver Creek about 1790, where he married Mary Le Seau, a descendant of French nobility. Here he lived, reared a large family and died in 1859. Children of this union were as follows: Joseph Mosby, William, Green, Jackson, Mary, Dolly, Pitsy, and Winnie.

## FIRST GENERATIONS:

Mary Jones married Thomas West; Dolly Jones married Leftridge Baker; Pitsy married Seth Barber; Martha married John Burgess; Winnie married Carter Barber.

William Jones married Elizabeth Hardy.

Jackson Jones married Nellie Barber. Issue James, Charles and Ruth who

married George Dyer.

Joseph Mosby Jones was born in 1812, married Margaret C. Davis, dau. of Peter Davis and a descendant of Lord Baltimore. They settled on Reed Creek and reared a large family where both died, Mr. Jones, in 1886. Their children were Alonza Thomas, Benjamin Tazwell, Lucy Ann, Sallie, Charles W., Margaret Elizabeth, Joseph P. and Mary Lou.

## SECOND GENERATION:

Mary Lou Jones married John Peter Lavinder. Joseph P. Jones was killed at Drury's Bluff in the Civil War in 1865. Margaret Elizabeth Jones mar ried her cousin, William Joseph Jones. Sally Jones never married.

Lucy Ann Jones married Pinkey G. Davis.

The following three brothers were good business men as evidenced by the Jones Building on the Public Square in Martinsville:

Alonza Thomas Jones was born in 1857. He was called "Babe" until he was old enough to name himself, a distinction worth recording in history. He was devoted to business, but never married.

Benjamin Tazewell Jones was born in 1855, located in Martinsville, and married Sallie L. Pedigo. Issue--- Mary Baldwin Jones, and Ruth Tazewil Jones, neither married; Cornelia Jones married A. Watts of Jefferson City, Mo.: and

Bessie Gray Jones married Edwain M. Shultz, of Greenville, Va. Charlie W. Jones was the eldest son, Of Joseph Mosby, born in 1845, and never married. He entered business at Martinsville. He was in the Civil War in the 24th Virginia Cavalry, and saw much service till captured with his cousin William Joseph Jones, and taken to Point Lookout, Md. Several times Post Master of Martinsville, and nominated for Congress once by his party in Convention. but declined. He died in 1919.

## VIRGINIA COUSINS by G.B. Goode STATES:

Thomas W. Jones, M.D., of Brunswick Co., Va., born June 25, 1788, died July 21, 1824; married Feb. 17, 1814, Mary Armistead Goode, dau. of Col. Samuel Goode, M.C, of Mecklenburg Co., Va., who was born Feb. 17, 1795; died May 22, 1871. Children---

1- Samuel Goode born Sept. 20, 1815; married 1st Nov. 1842, Martha W. Goode;

married 2nd 1862, Aurie Elmore, Suvwanee University, Suwanee, Tenn.
2- Lucy Biins, born March 26, 1801, married March 2, 1836, George Mason, M.D..
3- John Ravenscroft Jones, born Aug. 21, 1818. (see later)

4- Thomas W., born March 25, 1820, died young.
5- Mary Armistead born Feb. 25, 1722, died young.
6- Edward Burwell Jones, M.D. born Oct. 31, 1823. (see later)

John Ravenscroft Jones, of Lawrenceville, Brunswick Co., Va., born Aug. 21, 1818; married Dec. 11, 1839, Mary I., dau. of Col. William & Margaret W. Rice, of Brunswick Co., who was born July 31, 1823. Issue---

1- Col. William Rice Jones, born Nov. 21, 1840.

2- Thomas W., born July 20, 1842. 3- Margaret W., born April 27, 1844.

4- Mary Armistead, born Oct. 10, 1847, died young.

5- Ravenscroft, born Nov. 10, 1849.

Rev. Edwin Burwell Jones, M.D., of "Mill Site," Brunswick Co., born Oct. 3 1823; married Feb. 17, 1846, Cornelia Campbell, of Nottoway Co., who died May, Issue---

1- Thomas W. Jones married Mary Branch. Children--Rebecca Pescud Jones; Edwin Burwell: Cornelia Campbell.

2- Archibaid Campbell, of Atlanta, Ga., married Sue Gilmer of Alabama.

3- Edwin Burwell Jr., married Alice Pope, of Brunswick Co., Va.

4- Sallie E., married Richard Hardaway, of Nottoway Co., Va. 5- Mary Goode married George Whitmore, of San Marino, Va.

6- Cornelia Campbell

7- Mattie C.

8- Samuel Goode, of San Marino, Dinwiddie Co., married Delia Pope, of Brunswick 9. John Ravenscroft, Jr., Atlanta, Ga. 10. Lucy Binns, died young.

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